



# STIC Search Report

## EIC 2100

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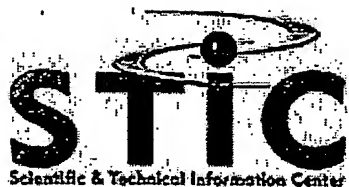
Dear Examiner Shiferaw,

Attached please find the results of your search request for application . I searched Dialog's foreign patent files and non-patent literature files.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Regards,

Geoffrey St. Leger  
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## STIC EIC 2100 Search Request Form

Today's Date:

8/24/06

What date would you like to use to limit the search?

Priority Date: 2001/10/29 Other:

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Format for Search Results (Circle One):

PAPER DISK EMAIL

Where have you searched so far?

USP DWPI EPO JPO ACM IBM TDB

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Is this a "Fast &amp; Focused" Search Request? (Circle One) YES NO

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What is the topic, novelty, motivation, utility, or other specific details defining the desired focus of this search? Please include the concepts, synonyms, keywords, acronyms, definitions, strategies, and anything else that helps to describe the topic. Please attach a copy of the abstract, background, brief summary, pertinent claims and any citations of relevant art you have found.

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S3	12520	(SIGN? ? OR SIGNED OR SIGNED)(5N)S1
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S8	30	S7(10N)S6
S9	20	S2:S5 AND S8
S10	30	S8:S9
S11	24	RD (unique items)
S12	9	S11 NOT PY=2002:2006
S13	101	(PROXY OR INTERCEPT?)(20N)S6
S14	61	(S2:S5 OR S7) AND S13
S15	46	RD (unique items)
S16	7	S15 NOT (S12 OR PY=2002:2006)

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S10	206	S2 AND (S4:S5 OR S9) AND S6:S7
S11	90	S2 AND (S4:S5 OR S9) AND S6
S12	489	SIGNATURE? ? (5N)ADD???
S13	3694	(S4:S5 OR S12)(10N)S1
S14	179	(S9 OR S13) AND S2 AND S6:S7
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S21	20	S18 AND AC=US AND AY=(1963:2001)/PR
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S34	17	S30 AND PY=1963:2001
S35	34	S31:S34
S36	17	S2 AND S35
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S43	18	S41 AND AC=US AND AY=1963:2001
S44	18	S41 AND AC=US AND AY=(1963:2001)/PR
S45	19	S41 AND PY=1963:2001
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**GLOBAL CONDITIONAL ACCESS SYSTEM FOR BROADCAST SERVICES**  
**GLOBALES BEDINGTES ZUGANGSSYSTEM FUR RUNDFUNKDIENSTE**  
**ACCES CONDITIONNEL GLOBAL A DES SERVICES DE TELEDIFFUSION**

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...SPECIFICATION as an electronic program guide, from a list provider, wherein the list has a digitally **signed message** corresponding to each event of the list or guide, the digitally **signed message** comprises a **message** encrypted using a second public key and a digital **signature created** using a first private key. The method further comprises **selecting** an event from the list; **receiving** the digitally **signed message** corresponding to the selected event; authenticating the list provider; decrypting the message using a second...

...event.

In accordance with one aspect of the present invention, the steps of decrypting the **message**, **receiving** the selected event, and descrambling the selected event are performed in a removable smart card.  
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...thereto, the device performs the steps of: receiving an electronic program guide having a digitally **signed message** corresponding to each event in the guide wherein each digitally **signed message** comprises a **message** encrypted using a smart card public key and a digital **signature created** using a guide **provider** private key; selecting an event from the guide; **receiving** the digitally **signed message** corresponding to the selected event; authenticating the guide **provider** by decrypting the digital **signature**; passing the message to a smart card; decrypting the message to obtain event information and a symmetric key; storing the event information in the smart card and updating account **information**; **receiving** the selected event which is scrambled using the symmetric key; and descrambling the selected event...